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Hon. Denise L. Cote Daniel Patrick Moynihan United States Courthouse 500 Pearl Street New York, NY 10007-1312

MEMO ENDORSED

Re: United States v. Rafael Ramos Ind. No. 04 Cr.972(DLC)

Dear Judge Cote:

I write seeking to be reappointed to represent Rafael Ramos who was sentenced by Your Honor on April 23, 2009 to a term of imprisonment of 25 years. Mr. Ramos contacted me requesting that I represent him on a claim under the First Step Act of 2018 that he was entitled to have the Court consider a sentence reduction. My preliminary review leads me to believe that Mr. Ramos has a meritorious claim and I therefore seek reappointment to his case.

If you have any questions regarding this application please contact my office.

Respectfully submitted,

David Stern
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Granted. 10.13.20.

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United \$tates District Judge